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Hi,

I would like to express my opinion on Microsoft case. Microsoft case should be settled without any further delays. Continuation of this case is harmful to industry, American economy and American consumers. Statements that Microsoft harmed consumers by building a lot of features inside Windows OS, not to mention overcharging them (we are really undercharged by Oracle and Sun, aren't we?) are ridiculous.

When I need small software utility to do my job, I have to pay 25% - 100% of what MS Windows OS cost. What do you think consumers would say if they have to pay for browser, email and bunch of utilities and accessories which are provided as a part of MS Windows?

As a USA federal and CA state taxpayer I see my money used in this case against my will. Last statement is also correct for millions and millions Americans.

Thanks,

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